

2024 Regular Session

SENATE BILL NO. 160

BY SENATOR OWEN

HEALTH CARE. Provides relative to physician assistants. (8/1/24)

1 AN ACT  
2 To amend and reenact R.S. 37:1360.30(B), relative to physician assistants; to provide  
3 relative to the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners; to provide relative to  
4 supervising physicians; to provide for notification to the board; and to provide for  
5 related matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 37:1360.30(B) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

8 §1360.30. Notification of intent to practice

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10 B. A physician assistant shall notify the board of any changes in or additions  
11 to his supervising physicians within ~~fifteen~~ thirty days of the date of such change or  
12 addition.

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The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part  
of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Amanda Trapp.

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DIGEST

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Present law requires a physician assistant licensed in Louisiana to submit notification of intent to practice to the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners along with information

regarding the physician assistant's supervising physician.

Present law requires the physician assistant to notify the board of any changes in or additions to his supervising physicians within 15 days of the date of the change.

Proposed law increases the time frame to notify the board to 30 days from the date of change.

Effective August 1, 2024.

(Amends R.S. 37:1360.30(B))